Distribution of Surplus Land

76. SHRIMATI KANAK MUKHERJEE: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) State-wise total surplus land after enforcement of ceiling laws visited with the State Governments and their possessions taken by them at the end of December, 1986;

(b) State-wise figures of such lands distributed by the end of December 1986, and

(c) total number of beneficiaries and the number of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes out of them?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI RAMANAND YADAV): (a) to (c) A statement showing the position as at the end of December, 1986 on the basis of latest information available from the State Governments/Union Territories is attached. [*See* Appendix CXLIV, Annexure No 5].

Allocation of foodgrains

71 SHRIMATI KANAK MUKHERJEE: Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to state:

(a) what is the State-wise demand for foodgrains, including rice and wheat, mustard oil, salt and sugar during 1987-88;

(b) what is the State-wise allocation by the Centre of these commodities; and

(c) the quantity actually made available to each State during this period?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI H. K. L BHAGAT): (a) Statement-I indicating statewise demand of rice and wheat for the period April 1987 to November 1987 is attached (*See* below).

The monthly levy sugar quotas to States/UTs are allotted not on the basis of demands received from them but on the uniform norm of per capita availability of 425 grams per head per month for the projected population as on 1.10.1986.

Mustard oil and salt are not PDS items and hence no allocation is done by the Central Government.

(b) Statement-II indicating statewise allocations made by the Centre of rice, wheat and sugar for the period from April 1987 to November 1987 is attached. (*See* below).

(c) The actual off-take of wheat and rice during the period from April 1987 to September. 1987 is given in statement-III.

Statement –I

Demand of Rice and Wheat by various States/UTs for Public Distribution System from Central Pool during 1987-88 (*April to November*)

(In '000' tonnes)

Code No.	Name of the State/U.T.	Rice	Wheat
1	2	3	4
1	Andhra Pradesh	1585 0	187 0
2	Arunachal Pradesh	55 5	7 8
3	Assam	496 0	566 0
4	Bihar	605.0	1340.0